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- A cushion for a patient interface adapted to supply gas to a patient comprising:

 a cushion body; and
 an outer cover,
- wherein said body and cover are substantially formed of the same elemental material.
 - 2. A cushion as claimed in claim 1 wherein said elemental material is polyurethane.
 - 3. A cushion as claimed in claim 1 or 2 wherein said cushion body is formed in polyurethane foam.
- 4. A cushion as claimed in claim 1 to 3 wherein said outer cover is formed in polyurethane film.
 - 5. A cushion as claimed in claim 1 to 4 wherein said outer cover is adhered to said body.
- 6. A cushion as claimed in claim 1 to 5 wherein said cushion body is assembled from more than one moulded component.
- 7. A cushion as claimed in claim 1 to 6 wherein said cushion body includes an attachment adapted to engage a mask.
 - 8. A cushion for a patient interface adapted to supply gas to a patient comprising: a cushion body having an outer cover, and an outer sealing sheath,
- wherein said cushion body is detachable from said outer sheath and said patient interface.
 - 9. A cushion as claimed in claim 8 wherein said cushion body and said outer sealing sheath are formed of the same elemental material.
 - 10. A cushion as claimed in claim 9 wherein said elemental material is silicone.
 - 11. A mask adapted to deliver gas to a patient comprising:a cushion body wherein at least a portion thereof has a plurality of adjacent voids.
 - 12. A mask as claimed in claim 11 wherein each of said voids has a hexagonal cross section.
 - 13. A mask as claimed in claim 11 wherein each of said voids has an oval, square, rectangular, or other shaped cross section.
- 30 14. A mask as claimed in claim 11 wherein said cushion body has an outer cover and said mask further includes an outer sealing sheath.

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- 15. A cushion for a patient interface as herein described with reference to the accompanying figures.
- 16. A mask as herein described with reference to the accompanying figures.